

DECEMBER

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## AAA ELECTIONS TO BE HELD THROUGHOUT COUNTY NEXT WEEK

The week of December 10 through 15th will witness the election of farm committeemen in Coffee to represent their neighborhoods in operating the AAA farm program in their respective communities and in the county. All farmers are urged by your county agent, J. R. Speed, to take part in the election of your committeemen.

Community committeemen, alternate community committeemen and delegates to the county convention will be chosen by secret ballot to represent farmers in each community. The delegate will attend the county convention where a 3-member committee is elected. The county committee is responsible for administration of the AAA program in the county. The administration of this should continue on the community and county level, but unless each of you attend the polls and vote, this right will be lost. Every farmer should cast his ballot; for only a representative vote can insure a representative expression of Agriculture's will.

Sgt. Cary N. Clark, who has been on duty in the Pacific area for many months, has received his discharge and is at home again. His friends are glad to welcome him back.

Miss Naomi Moody, of Mobile, and P. W. Moody, of Fort McClellan, visited Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Moody during the week end.

## COFFEE TO COOPERATE IN ERADICATION OF BANG'S DISEASE

Coffee County will cooperate with the Federal and State Governments in countywide testing of cattle for Bang's disease. In order to undertake this work, Acting State Veterinarian I. S. McAdory has quarantined the county effective January 1, 1946. This means that on and after the effective date of quarantine, no cattle can be moved into the county except cattle which have passed a negative blood test within thirty (30) days, or cattle from Modified Accredited counties and from Bang's Disease Free Accredited herds. This does not prohibit the movement of cattle out of the county, however.

All cattle in the county will be tested, and if less than 5 per cent of the herds and less than 1 per cent of the cattle are found to be infested, the Federal and State Governments will declare the county a Modified Bang's Disease Free Accredited county. In the event more than 1 per cent of the cattle or more than 5 per cent of the herds are found to be infested, all cattle in the county will be retested. Herds in which infection is found will remain quarantined until they have passed two clean tests.

## WOMANLESS WEDDING

Elba Lions Club will present a "Womanless Wedding" at the school auditorium Friday night, Dec. 14. Proceeds from the entertainment will go to the school lunch room project.

## Remember Pearl Harbor---Dec. 7?

**Check YOURSELF Today!**



THE BOYS STILL OVER THERE ★ THE BOYS STILL IN HOSPITALS



THOSE WHO WON'T COME BACK ★ TO GUARD YOUR FUTURE

## BUY VICTORY BONDS Every Day!

### FIRST BASKETBALL GAME HERE TODAY

The first basketball game of the season for Elba High team will be played this (Thursday) afternoon at 2 o'clock at the Armory with Brundidge.

Coch House says that 25 or 30 boys have been coming out for practice, but the team still needs lots of work before getting into good stride. The next home game will be on December 20. A full schedule will be given next week.

### MISS POWELL AND MR. WHITMAN

The marriage of Miss Gladys Powell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Connell, to Robert L. Whitman took place Sunday, Nov. 21, at the home of the Rev. Clyde Kincaid on Noble Avenue, who officiated in the presence of relatives and close friends of the bride couple.

The bride wore a costume suit of aqua virgin wool with navy blue accessories, and her flowers were gardenias in corsage bouquet. She wore a strand of pearls an heirloom in her family. After a wedding trip to Florida coast resorts and cities, Mr. and Mrs. Whitman will reside in Montgomery, where both hold responsible business positions.

The above announcement will be of cordial interest to Elbians. The groom is a son of Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Whitman and was born and reared in Elba. He has many friends here. He graduated from Elba High School, and later accepted position with a wholesale drug firm in Montgomery where he is presently located.

Mrs. Paul Till and children, of Brewton, visited Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Coston in Elba during the week end.

Mrs. J. T. Dunaway, of Enterprise, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Dunaway for the week end.

Mrs. J. M. Bowers, of Jay, Fla., former resident of Elba, was here the first of the week visiting relatives.

## Classified Advertising

If you want to buy, sell, swap, rent or locate lost property, try an adv. in this column.

FOR SALE: One house and lot in Elba, Ala. See C. Hall, Elba, Ala. n22-d6.

FOR SALE: Man's bicycle, in good condition; fair tires; price \$30. Irvin Blackmon, Elba, Ala.

FOR SALE: 1 zinc evaporator, 9 feet long; 1 copper evaporator, 8 feet long; both in good condition. E. A. Wilkes, Jack, Ala, Rt. 1.

WANTED: TO RENT: Good 2-horse farm, with good house and pasture, for standing rent or one-fourth. J. E. Daughtry, Elba, Rt. 5.

WANTED TO RENT: A three- or four-room house or two or three large rooms. Mrs. Rufus Maddox, Route 1, Elba, Ala.

FOR SALE: FORD Ferguson Tractor and all equipment; all practically new; some has never been used. Edwin Windham, Route 3, Elba, n22-29.

LOST: Between J. E. Plant home and Lewis' Mill, Monday night, Nov. 26, Truck Tire on wheel. For reward, under please notify S. P. Marler, Rt. 5, Elba.

FOR RENT: Two-horse farm, new way or old way; all under fence; 5-room house, ceiled out and electric lights; 3 miles north of Elba on Troy highway. See W. R. Watkins, Rt. 5, Elba, Ala.

BLISS NATIVE HERBS is one of Nature's best known Plant Laxatives—nine active ingredients. Order a large size box containing 200 Tablets Today, and get ready Now for all your Holiday ills. Keep well and enjoy your full share of X-Mas pleasures. Postage paid on all mail orders. Caution: Use as directed. C. Y. Nolin, New Brockton, Ala.

Renew your subscription.

### BIG REAL ESTATE DEAL HERE LAST WEEK

One of the biggest real estate deals in recent months was announced last week, when Bonneau-Jeter Hardware Company bought from the Dorsey's the large brick building on Claxton street which is now being used by Elba Theatre. The building will be used as a storage warehouse when possession is secured early next year.

At the same time Bonneau-Jeter sold to John M. Garrett, Jr., the brick building also located on Claxton street which the company is now using as a storage room and colored funeral parlor. Mr. Garrett will use the building in connection with his automobile business. Purchase prices were not announced.

### TWO ELBIANS ABOARD USS BIRMINGHAM

Two Elba Navy men, G. D. Sanders, seaman, second class, USNR, and James Irwin Farris, carpenter's mate, first class, USNR, had helped the light cruiser USS Birmingham build up a record of 198,000 miles of sea travel, during which she took part in most of the major Pacific campaigns, before she was assigned the duty of bringing veterans back home.

The Birmingham saw action in both theaters of operation, her major campaigns including the Sicilian occupation, Pacific raids, including Tarawa and Wake, the Treasury Islands, Marianas, Western Carolines, Leyte, Iwo Jima and Okinawa.

The cruiser is credited with 16 planes, more than 3,000 tons of shipping and attacks on many shore installations. She was damaged twice during the course of her operations, her honor roll showing 284 killed, 507 wounded and 11 missing. Awards to her men total 533, among them the Navy Cross, Silver Star, Air Medal and Bronze Star Medal.

It is reported that a large part of Alabama had heavy snowfall Tuesday.

## COFFEE COUNTY FARM BUREAU STILL SHORT OF MEMBERSHIP GOAL

A goal of 1,765 members for 1946 was set by the Coffee County Farm Bureau Directors, beat Chairmen and leaders, in the annual membership campaign.

Mr. Fred L. Donaldson, Farm Bureau President, says that every person interested in Agriculture should pay their 1946 dues. Instead of being short of the 1,765 goal the membership should be over 2,000. Every farmer is responsible for his or her dues. Don't wait for your neighbor to collect them. Pay them to your Beat Committee. Better still, mail your dues and get your neighbors' dues and mail to Fred L. Donaldson, President, Coffee County Farm Bureau, Enterprise, Ala., or to S. O. Parker, Vice-President, Rt. 4, Elba, Ala. The final report will be published by beats. Where your beat stands depends on you.

Mr. Donaldson is working to get cheaper fire insurance for farm home buildings and group hospital insurance for farm and rural people which will be available only to Farm Bureau members. This service will be a great saving to rural people both in dollars and health. Your community will be stronger by better health conditions and available medical care. Build your community by having a strong farm organization.

### LOCKLAR BROTHERS BUY GROCERY STORE

Messrs. Harvey and Charlie Locklar announce today the purchase of the City Cash Grocery. Harvey will continue his duties at Goodman Junior High School but after Christmas will be at the store in the afternoon after school and on Saturdays. Charlie will be at the store every day. The same personnel will continue to greet customers.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Dana Perdue, who have been residing in New York City for several months, have moved back to Elba. Mr. Perdue, while in New York, was employed as a pilot of an airplane for the Pan American Airlines. He will manage the Bryan Milling Company plant here. Mrs. Perdue is teaching music in Elba-public schools. Friends are glad to welcome them to Elba.

Mrs. H. G. Swain announces the birth of a 9-lb. son on Dec. 3 at Edge hospital, Troy, who has been named John Thomas Swain.

### DR. MIDDLEBROOKS WILL PREACH SUNDAY

Dr. W. E. Middlebrooks, District Superintendent, will preach at the Elba Methodist Church Sunday morning at the 11 o'clock service. If you have not had the opportunity to hear Dr. Middlebrooks preach, you certainly have a treat coming to you. W. M. Sproules, Pastor.

### DR. AND MRS. ROWE AND SON, MERCER COSTON, OF GADSDEN, WERE HERE DURING THE WEEK END VISITING MRS. W. H. COSTON, WHO HAS BEEN ILL FOR SEVERAL DAYS.

Mrs. Coston has gone to Gadsden where she will spend several weeks, and friends trust that she may soon be much improved in health.

### William Borders, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Borders, who has been stationed at Kingsville, Texas, for the past year, has received his discharge from the Navy and will reside in Elba. He served in the Navy six years and 11 days, four years of which time was overseas duty. His friends are glad to welcome him back home.

### Pvt. Wade Moody is spending a 10-day furlough at home. He will report to Camp Pickett, Va., for new assignment.

### Funeral services for Mace Rowell, 32, 2111 Seventh avenue, Phenix City, were arranged for 3 p. m. Friday, Nov. 23 in the Britton and Dobbs funeral home.

Mr. Rowell and his cousin, Foster L. Borders, 23, of 1700 Seale road, Phenix City, were killed Thursday at 2:30 a. m. when the taxicab in which they were riding overturned on the Opelika road.

The Rev. W. H. Cook, pastor of the Central Baptist Church, Phenix City, officiated at the Rowell funeral services, with interment in Riverdale cemetery.

Mr. Borders' body was shipped Thursday night to Elba, Ala., for funeral services and burial.—Ex.

### DID YOU FORGET TO RENEW YOUR PAPER?

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## Buy Victory Bonds

To help fulfill your obligation for your share in victory—put your crop dollars into Victory Bonds! That money will help bring our boys home... bring our wounded back to health... and in 10 years, your Victory "E" Bonds will bring you \$4 for every \$3 you put in.

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T. B. BRYAN, Cashier

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Friday Night, Dec. 14th, 7:30

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ADMISSION—25c and 50c

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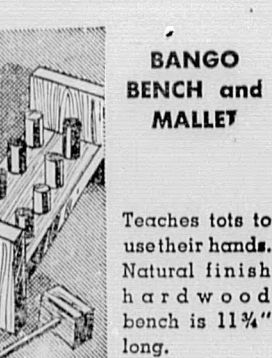


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### Easy Pay Tire Store L. L. ENGLISH, Prop. In Page Building, Elba, Ala. Phone 240

### OPEN HOUSE MEETING OF THREE-IN-ONE CLUB

The Three-In-One Study Club delightedly entertained their "menfolks" at an open house meeting Wednesday evening, Nov. 7, at 8 o'clock. The meeting was planned by Mrs. J. D. Whitman and Mrs. Wm. J. Bulard, who were assisted by Miss Richardson and the girls of her advanced Home Economics class.

The entertaining rooms of the Home Economics building had been most attractively arranged with cut flowers of the season. After receiving their guests informally, members of the club led the way to the dining room where a delicious turkey dinner with all the trimmings was served.

Appropos of the occasion, Prof. Axford Sartain, of the history department of Troy State Teachers College, delivered a very instructive address on the Relations of the United States and How Allies in Planning World Peace. He especially emphasized the dangers of Fascism evident in the members of the Pan American Union south of the Rio Grande.

Other members of the club join with our guests in a most appreciative "thank you" to our hostesses on this delightful evening. — Reported.

Joseph Bryan, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Bryan, who has been serving in the Army in Europe for the past two years, has received his discharge and returned to his home in Elba. He was in military service about three years. He is an expert bulldozer operator and may go to Mississippi after Christmas. Friends are glad to welcome him back home.

### ORDER OF PUBLICATION

Elmer Shank, Complainant, vs. Aaron Shank, Respondent. In Circuit Court of Coffee County, Alabama, in Equity. To Aaron Shank: Notice is hereby given that the complainant has filed a bill against you and you are required to answer or plead to the same on or before January 7, 1946, and failing therein, decree pro confesso may be taken against you within thirty days thereafter.

This the 4th day of December, 1945.

Gladys Clark, d6-27. Register.

### NOTICE OF LAND SALE

The entire farm and timber lands of the J. W. Roberts estate will be sold in front of the court house at Enterprise on December 17. All of these lands, consisting of 400 acres, are located in Coffee County. For further information, see Judge J. A. Carnley, Elba, Ala., or Harry Adams, Enterprise, Ala., or any of the J. W. Roberts heirs. n22-d13.

Go to Church Sunday.

### City Cash Grocery

We have bought the City Cash Grocery and it will be operated under the same name. We will sell for cash because we are not in position to do otherwise. We will keep the same clerks and you will find them courteous at all times.

If you are a customer of the City Cash Grocery, we want you to continue to be one, and if you are not, we want you to become one, so drop in to see us. Your business will be appreciated and we will do our best to satisfy you.

— PAY CASH AND PAY LESS —

HARVEY J. LOCKLAR, CHARLIE N. LOCKLAR

I will continue my teaching but after Christmas I will be in the store after school and on Saturdays. My brother will be there all the time. Sincerely,

HARVEY J. LOCKLAR.

### THE ELBA THEATRE WEEKLY PROGRAM

THURSDAY—LAST DAY "MRS. PARKINGTON" Starring: Green Carson and Walter Pidgeon Admission 10c and 30c

FRIDAY—Double Feature "LADY CONFESSIONS" Starring: Mary Beth Hughes Admission 10c & 30c

SATURDAY ALL DAY Wild Bill Elliott As "RED RIDER" In "SAN ANTONIO KID" Admission 10c & 25c

SAT. 4 P. M.—LATE SHOW "MISSING CORPSE" Starring: J. Edward Bamberg and Isabel Randolph Admission 10c & 30c

SUNDAY AND MONDAY Bud Abbott & Lou Costello In "LOST IN A HAREM" Admission 10c & 30c

TUESDAY Only—Bargain Day "BRAND OF THE DEVIL" Starring: Dave (Tex) O'Brien and Jim Neville Admission 10c & 20c

WEDNESDAY & THURSDAY "FLESH AND FANTASY" Starring: Robert Benchley, Edward G. Robinson, Betty Field Admission 10c & 30c

FISH FRY Members of the Men's Bible Class of the Methodist Church, entertained their wives and a number of other guests at a fish fry on last Thursday evening at the home of Dr. and Mrs. W. M. Ringsdorf. There was an abundance of well-cooked fish and trimmings, and every one present enjoyed the fellowship as well as the food.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Rowe and son, Charles Lewis, of Montgomery, spent Sunday in Elba guests of relatives.

Good lighting in every room—meaning light adequate for the activity going on—cannot be too strongly recommended. To avoid a shock and fire hazards, your electrical equipment must be kept in repair—no frayed ends, broken plugs and faulty appliances.

A new liquid poison, especially fatal to rats and other rodents, has been discovered. It is also a powerful poison for humans and will not be released for the present, says the USDA. It is called 10-80.

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Pvt. Londo Mayes Dyess, son of Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Dyess, Jack R. I., who has been in military service four months, has received his discharge and has returned home and will live on the old home farm.

QUARANTINE OF COFFEE COUNTY FOR CONTROL OF BANGS' DISEASE

In order to carry on eradication of Contagious Abortion (Bangs' Disease) in cattle, maintain quarantines, and regulate the movements of cattle, J. I. S. McDuffy, Acting State Veterinarian, do hereby quarantine Coffee County, Alabama, in order to carry out countywide testing of cattle for Bangs' Disease as provided in Section 360, Article 23, Subdivision 1, Code of Alabama, 1940.

This quarantine is to go into effect January 1, 1946. Signed: J. I. S. McDuffy, Acting State Veterinarian.

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### CEMETERY WORKING

There will be a cemetery working at Victoria on Saturday, Dec. 8. All interested persons are urged to come and bring tools. M. C. Boutwell.

### GINNING REPORT

Census report shows that 8,498 bales of cotton were ginned in Coffee County from the crop of 1945 prior to Nov. 1, 1945, as compared with 8,319 bales for the crop of 1944.

Sgt. and Mrs. Julius A. Young returned to Perry, Fla., Sunday after spending the Thanksgiving holidays at home.

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### VOLUME 49

OFFICIAL BOND QUOTA HAS BEEN REACHED BY COFFEE CITIZENS

Coffee County citizens have again put the county on the honor roll by buying enough "E" Victory Bonds and other securities to put the county over the top in its official quota. However, the super quota assigned to the county has not yet been reached and the War Finance Committee will continue sales effort hoping that E Bond sales will reach the super goal.

According to a statement Monday by Sam E. Sawyer, Elba area chairman, total sales in this area of E Bonds had reached the \$72,293.00 mark, and in the Enterprise \$110,093.00. Sales of E Bonds and other securities for the entire county had reached a total of \$618,587.25. Every man and woman in the county who can possibly do so, is urged to buy one more E Bond in order to reach the super quota before Dec. 31.

WOMANLESS WEDDING

Elba Lions Club will present a "Womanless Wedding" at the school auditorium Friday night, Dec. 14, at 7:30. Proceeds from the entertainment will go to the school lunch room project.

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Bryan were visitors to Tusculum during the week end on account of the illness of Mr. A. H. Carmichael, Mrs. Bryan's uncle. Mr. Carmichael has many friends in this section of the state who will be glad to know that he was much improved Sunday.

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### AMERICAN LEGION WILL AGAIN HANDLE CHRISTMAS PACKAGES

Members of Culver Post, American Legion, announce that they will again deliver Christmas packages to servicemen in hospitals in this area. Last year the Post delivered over 100 packages that had been prepared by people of Elba and this section.

If you want to send a box or package to a sick or wounded serviceman, just prepare the package, write your name on it, and leave it at James English's store on or before Dec. 20. You can be the judge of what goes into the box. Just remember that many of these boys will not have the pleasure of being at home this Christmas. A package to be opened Christmas morning will make it a little more pleasant for them. The Legion will deliver all the boxes that may be prepared.

### NOTICE

There will be a cemetery working at Damascus on Wednesday, Dec. 19. Everybody interested in this work is urged to be present early with tools.

A. W. Barker, Pastor.

Mr. and Mrs. Coston Pearce, announcing the birth of a daughter on December 4, whom they have named Linda Lee.

Mrs. Mary J. Newton, her son, Robert Newton, and Miss Jean Parker, were visitors to Montgomery Tuesday.

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